



MEMORANDUM

TO: State Board of Education
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DATE: November 23, 2010
SUBJECT: Assessment Update

ISTEP

2011 ISTEP+

Test windows

Applied Skills 2/28/11 to 3/9/11 (paper only)

Multiple-Choice 4/25/11 to 5/4/11 (online 4/25 to 5/6)

Testing of ISTEP+ Online system will take place December 6-10. CTB made 5 presentations at the HECC Conference on November 19th to inform Technology Coordinators directly about the requirements of ISTEP+ Online.

We launched "Experience ISTEP+ Online" a web-based version sample test items that allows anyone to see the exact format and tools that student will use on the online test. It is found on the "Resources" section of the ISTEP+ webpage or can be reached directly at the link below.

<http://learnoas.ctb.com/ISTEP/>

GQE

The fall "old" GQE was administered September 14 -16, the final administration of the GQE retest for the Class of 2011 is March 8 - 10.

End of Course Tests (ECA)

First Semester Test Windows

Fall 10/18/10 to 11/12/10

Test Counts - Alg. I – 2,951

Eng. 10 – 1,620

Bio, I – 50

Early Winter 12/6/10 to 12/17/10 and 1/3/11 to 1/14/11

Online tests taken by 12/17 will be reported 1/7/11